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THE GRADUATING

OF THE EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS HELD SATURDAY.

WINNERS OF THE MEET

Which Was Given After the Commencement Exercises Which Took Place at Empire Theater.

There was a large crowd in attendance at the commencement and track meet exercises of the eighth grade graduates of Polk township, which was held in this city Saturday. The commencement exercises were held in the Empire theater, beginning at 1.30 p. m. The theater was packed to capacity. The following is a list of the graduates who received diplomas:

Ireland—John Wesley Thompson, Francis Halasey, Eugene Hall, Donald Hall.

Rockford—Mary Odessa Wells, Malcolm Wells.

Myrtle Tree—Lucile Wiley, Cleatus Fink.

Herron—Nellie Fisher, Lester Rogers.

Council Corner—Paul Fisher.

Douglas—Harold Erickson.

Shell Grove—Hester Deneen, Marie Lowe.

Wilcox—Harold Ritchie, Vivian Ritchie, Ora Hainline.

Union—Alberta Howard.

Martha Washington—Glenn Haynes, Everett Haynes.

Elm Grove—Ollie Baker.

Highland—Chester Lyle.

Garrett—Mary Andrews.

Rose Hill—Delbert Ambrose.

Bell Grove—Nellie Carden.

Lasher—Iva Williams.

The track meet which was held on the public square had an immense throng of people in attendance. The following is a list of the winners in the events. In all of the events the winners of first place received a prize of $1, and second 50 cents.

50-yard dash and return, for boys in grades 7 and 8—First, Joe Sherlock; second, Dale Hughes. Time, 16 seconds.

50-yard dash, for boys in grades 4, 5 and 6—First, Frank Burch; second, Stanley Aley. Time, 7 seconds.

50-yard dash, for boys in grades 1, 2 and 3—First, George Aley; second, Harry Davis. Time, 7 1-5 seconds.

Ball throwing contest, for girls in grades 6, 7 and 8—First Sadie Aley; second, Esther Birch.

50-yard dash, for girls in grades 4, 5 and 6—First, Vina Dougherty; second, Audrey Birkinholz. Time, 7 1-5 seconds.

50-yard dash, for girls in grades 1, 2 and 3—First, Susie Dougherty; second, Mary Oakerson. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Sack race, for boys and girls in grades 2, 3 and 4—First, Harry Davis; second, Hiland Thompson. Time, 8 4-5 seconds.

Potato race, for boys of any grade—First, Frank Burch; second, Paul Halasey. Time, 24 3-5 seconds.

Driving contest, for girls in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8—First, Roberta Wells; second, Mildred Nicholas.

Officers:

Chairman—Miss Ruby Ruddell.

Secretary—Miss Katy McCaffrey.

Treasurer—Miss Mary Fordyce.

Starter—Prof. H. P. Swinehart.

Announcer—Orlo Quinn.

Judges—Byron Hanna, Walter Wray, W. M. Oakerson.

Timer—M. A. Peery.

Score keepers—Ruby Ruddell, Grace Fisher, Mary Watson, Mary Halasey.

Purchased London Pantatorium.

The London Pantatorium has been purchased from Ivan Gorton by McDonald & Neal. The new owners took possession on Monday morning. Roy Neal is the new manager of the company. Mr. Gorton is now located in Shenandoah.

Guests at Kurtz Home.

Mrs. Frank Ridgeway, of Chanute, Kan., will arrive Monday night to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Kurtz. Mrs. Ridgeway is on her way home from a visit with relatives in Glenwood, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Langsdorf and son, Edgar Bloch, spent Sunday in St. Joseph.

PIRATES WIN FROM CONCEPTION

By Score of 10 to 2—Played at Conception Sunday—Good Game Until Seventh Inning.

The Maryville Pirates won the second game of the season by winning from the Conception Sluggers at Concepion Sunday. It was a good game for seven innings, the score standing 6 to 2. Conception had to resort to the use of two pitchers, the Pirates using only one, the same being the case during the game with Ravenwood. The feature of the game was the batting of Conley and Childress, each hitting a three-bagger with two men on bases, making the long end of the score 10 to 2.

The line-ups were as follows:

Sluggers—Wilson, shortstop; Wiles, catcher; Darling, pitcher; Tilson, first base; V. Couley, second base; F. Conley, third base; Childress, left field; David, center field; Miller, right field; Woodward, right field.

Conception — Martindale, second base, Todd shortstop; King, third base; Carson, right field; Graham, left field; Richards, catcher; Colley, centerfield; Britton, first base; McDonald, pitcher.

The Pirates had three errors chalked to their credit while Conception had five. Conception had three hits to their credit while the Pirates had eleven.

PLAYING THE INDIANS.

The Normal Team in Ball Game This Afternoon With Nebraska Indian Team.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the Normal schoo' base ball team meets the fast Nebraska Indian team. The team is known as Green's Nebraska Indian team and has played at Maryville before in the days of the Mink league, when they defeated the Maryville team two games out of three.

With the exception of Miller, the Normal's right fielder, who is out of the game on account of an injury the Normal team is in good shape. The line-up for the beginning of the game this afternoon will be as follows: Leavel, catcher; Ham, pitcher; Dyer, first base; Noblett, second base; McKee shortstop; Bird, third base; Adams, left field; Brittain, center field; Long, right field.

NED HOLMES PAROLED

By Governor Major Last Saturday—Sent to the Pen From Nodaway County.

Ned Holmes, who has been in the state penitentiary at Jefferson City since March 16, 1912, was paroled Saturday by Governor Major. Holmes was sent up for three years from Nodaway county after pleading guilty to a charge of grand larceny. He was charged with having taken a pocketbook from Mary Meeker, who was station agent at Wilcox. One reason for the parole was that Holmes did good work last August during good roads days on the public highways. Holmes is a colored boy.

Y. M. C. A. MEETING FRIDAY.

J. H. Banks, State Secretary, Will Address Mass Meeting at First Christian Church.

J. H. Banks, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will be in Maryville Friday to consult with the executive committee in the movement to have a Y. M. C. A. for Maryville. Mr. Banks will address a mass meeting of men to be held at the First Christian church at 8 p. m. on Friday evening. Mr. Banks will meet with the executive committee at a noon-day luncheon to be held at the Elks club on Friday noon.

FILES FOR RE-NOMINATION.

Charles F. Booher Announces His Entry in the Fourth District.

Congressman Charles F. Booher of Savannah has filed for the Democratic nomination for congress from this district, sending his declaration to Secretary of State Roach last Saturday. So far Mr. Booher is the only candidate of any party from this district.

Visited School Chum.

Misses Dorothy Rowley, Persus Hunt, Marion Sanders and Lucile Cummins spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Catherine Tobin at Burlington Junction.

Marriage Licenses.

Milton C. Baublitts.....Parnell
Ruby A. Bishop.....Parnell
Byron M. Hanna.....Maryville
E. Margaret McMillen.....Pickering

TO PUT OUT TICKET

PROGRESSIVE PARTY HAS SO DECIDED.

CONFERENCE SATURDAY

To Arrange to Put Out the Ticket—No Fusion and Only Progressives to Be Selected.

At a meeting of the Progressive party held last week, it was decided to call a conference of the members of that party in this county to be held next Saturday, May 23, at 2 o'clock in the court house. The purpose of the meeting will be to arrange for a full county ticket and to discuss campaign plans.

The county committee of this party has decided to put out a ticket composed of only Progressives and there will be no fusion with other tickets. At the conference Saturday, the ticket will probably be arranged and these candidates will file before or on June 4, the last day of filing for the primary election to be held on August 4.

Raymond G. Barrett, of Kansas City, will address the meeting on Saturday.

The call for the party conference is in today's paper and is signed by John H. Sewell as chairman and F. P. Robinson as secretary of the county central committee. W. W. Glass, who was chairman of the committee during the last campaign, resigned and Mr. Sewell was selected.

With the Progressives with a full ticket in the field, Nodaway county will have three tickets at the August primary.

DEATH OF F. M. COOPER.

Died at Denver, Col., and Burial Will Take Place in This City on Wednesday.

F. M. Cooper, a former resident of Maryville, died at his home in Denver, Colo., Friday afternoon. He was 74 years old. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Silas Ross of Cotapazi, Colo., and a son, Victor Cooper, of Denver. Mr. Cooper was well known among the older residents of Maryville, as he lived here for many years.

He will be buried here Wednesday afternoon in Miriam cemetery. No services will be held except at the cemetery. The G. A. R. post will have charge of the services. The body will arrive Wednesday noon and will be taken to the cemetery. The pall bearers will be members of the G. A. R. post.

F. M. Cooper was born in Ironton, Lawrence county, O., February 22, 1838, and lived there until 1855, his youth being spent on a farm. In 1855 he moved west and made his home for several years in the Dakotas and Colorado, where he was engaged in mining. He moved to Missouri in the early sixties, and in 1871 was married to Miss Loura McWilliams of St. Joseph. Mrs. Cooper died in 1876, leaving two daughters, Alice and Luona. In 1881 Mr. Cooper built the hotel now known as the Linville. He named it the Luona. At that time this was the finest hotel in northwest Missouri and cost its owners, Cooper & Glasgow, near $26,000.

Mr. Cooper was mayor of Maryville from 1896 to 1898, succeeding John G. Grems to that office. He was a charter member of the G. A. R. post and the Union Veteran Legion. He was the commander of the G. A. R. post here for some time. He built the brick residence now occupied by Thad Wilderman and family, on Lawn avenue. Mr. Cooper was married three times, his third wife, who is a sister of Mrs. R. D. Jones of this city, survives him.

Mr. Cooper moved to Colorado fourteen years ago, residing at Colorado Springs a few years, and then moved to Denver.

G. S. Meyer of Nodaway county reports that up to date this spring more than seventy silos have been sold to farmers in that county. "This, with the large number put up last season, is going to give the farmers a good start in this way of handling feed," Mr. Meyer said.—Kansas City Drovers' Telegram.

John Lewis, Will Fryer, Harger Sems and wife, all of Ravenwood, were in Maryville Saturday on business.

WHEAT CROP BAD

CONDITIONS HERE WORST MR. HUTCHINSON HAS SEEN.

MADE TRIP OVER COUNTY

Says That He Was Unable to Find Field That Was Entirely Free From the Hessian Fly.

"I find the conditions in Nodaway county bad, especially in the eastern and southeastern part of the county. I was unable to find a field that was entirely free from the Hessian fly. In the southwest part of the county I find the wheat in fine condition, but there are traces of the fly. A good rain would be a great help in lessening the deadly work of the fly. In many fields I see no hope of a wheat crop this season, and I suggest putting in corn. I have known that the fly was doing damage to the wheat several places in Missouri, especially in the Missouri river bottoms, but the conditions here are the worst I have seen."—Prof. Hutchinson of the State Agricultural college.

A thorough investigation was made by Prof. C. B. Hutchinson of the University of Missouri Sunday and Monday morning of the wheat situation in Nodaway county, and he found conditions as stated in the above interview.

Meetings were held Monday morning at Barnard, Graham and Skidmore. Those accompanying Prof. Hutchinson were J. S. Shinabargar, H. F. Leet, C. D. Bellows and George L. Wilfley. At Barnard the meeting was held in a wheat field southwest of town at 8 o'clock, and from 80 to 100 farmers attended the meeting. They took great interest in what Mr. Hutchinson had to say. From Barnard Prof. Hutchinson was taken to John Wilson's field, near Graham, where a good crowd awaited him. At 10:30 o'clock a meeting was held at Skidmore.

Prof. Hutchinson arrived Sunday morning from Columbia. Prof. L. Hazeman was unable to come. Prof. Hutchinson and Prof. Hazeman are connected with the agronomy department of the college of agriculture of the University of Missouri. A trip was made Sunday over the east and south part of the county. Those making the trip were W. C. Pierce, G. R. Ellison, Judge W. C. Ellison, Burman Wells, Prof. Cameron of the State Normal, W. R. Smiley, C. D. Bellows, Ray S. Wilfley, G. L. Wilfley, Prof. C. B. Hutchinson, Elmer Fraser, E. H. Bainum, H. F. Leet and Ed Wolfert. About eighty-five miles was covered in the trip. The fields inspected were found to be very badly affected by the Hessian fly, especially the fields near Clyde and Conception. The fly has not hurt the wheat so bad in the south and western part of the county.

The Wells brothers' wheat fields, eleven miles southwest of Maryville, were found to be in the best condition of any of those visited. They have between 400 and 500 acres of wheat in this year. It was hard to find any trace of the fly in their field.

Several farmers between Ravenwood and Maryville began plowing their wheat fields Monday morning and they will plant corn. They took this means knowing that their wheat crops were ruined.

Four meetings are being held this afternoon, one of which was at the court house at 2 o'clock. Prof. Hutchinson will give a talk at that place. From Maryville he went to Harmony church neighborhood, then to the Hughes farm, and holds the final meeting in Burlington Junction at 6 o'clock. Prof. Hutchinson will return to Columbia this evening.

At the meeting held in Maryville this afternoon the court room was crowded with farmers and several of them had samples of their wheat.

Saturday afternoon Allen Bros. sold the L. J. Moon property located in east Maryville to Edgar Alexander, of Burlington Junction. They also sold the S. M. Redfield property located in northwest Maryville to S. K. McBride. Both give possession at once.

Dr. Grace T. Phelps and little daughter, Theodosia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schick of Coin, Ia.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

CLASS TO WHEAT FIELD.

Normal Agricultural Students Spending Day Noting Work of the Hessian Fly in Wheat Field.

The elementary agricultural class of the Normal school took a trip to the Jake Melvin farm this morning, where they will note the work of the Hessian fly, and also the methods which were used in preparing the ground for a wheat crop.

Prof. John E. Cameron will take some pictures of the insect and its work. About thirty students took the trip.

"MISTRESS MARY."

To Be Given Wednesday and Thursday Nights—A Big Chorus.

The cast of the opera "Mistress Mary" presented by the Twentieth Century club are all working in harmony and accord, and Miss Martin is very much pleased with both their talent and co-operation, realizing the fact she has the support of the most talented and capable young people in Maryville. The first full rehearsals were held Friday and Saturday evenings. The ladies are meeting with big success in the sale of tickets and are hopeful of good houses both nights.

On Saturday afternoon an unusual sight was seen on our main streets in Maryville. Tiny maids in stiff little tarlatan dresses flitted down to the Methodist church with an air of importance that made it apparent that they were the fairies who were to furnish a spectacular feature of the second act. Their costume rehearsal was a great success and their anxious mammas, many of whom were attending the rehearsal for the first time, were proud and happy over the work done by the little ones.

The fairies tip-toed about, pecking here and there in a manner that suggested a revel in the moonlit forest at midnight. They overheard the wicked plot of the three "villains," Tom, Dick and Harry, and their elfish glee in circumventing this plot found expression in the charming chorus "Troubles Are Only Bubbles of Woe," which perhaps is the most popular song in the opera.

By the way, the fairy chorus includes twenty-five of the "sweetest, dearest, tiniest tots in Maryville"—we are quoting Miss Martin's exact words here—and their enthusiasm has been one of the delightful phases of the rehearsal.

Another charming feature of the second act is the dance of the Will o' the Wisp. These are young girls in airy costumes of midnight hue, and the flash of their tiny lanterns as they flit about through the mazes of a really intricate dance adds an air of mystery to it. Their dress rehearsal also occurred Saturday afternoon, and the young girls were very charming in their becoming costumes.

Nine little boys take part of Lambs, and this little flock, led by Forest Holland, as "Willie," May's pet lamb, is a joy and delight. From the time the rehearsals first began these little fellows have been absolutely faithful in taking their parts, and their enthusiastic rendition of various bleets and butts have furnished the comedy at the rehearsals for the interested chaperons and on lookers. They were possibly the only ones at the first general rehearsal of the first act who showed no evidence of stage fright, and they were received with a round of applause.

But the mystery of the play lies in the performance of the frog orchestra. We cannot say very much about this at present, for what they do is a "dead secret," and only the frogs, their chaperons and their directors know what it is to be until the curtain roles up Wednesday night. It is safe to say those in the audience will rub their eyes in an effort to realize the familiar surroundings of the Empire theater—rusley pools, sounds of croaking and finally the gorgeous spectacle of green and yellow frogs themselves will be suggestive of a night of mystery and magic.

W. I. Kennell Here.

W. I. Kennell of Campbell, Minn., left for his home on Monday morning after a week's visit with his son, Alfred Kennell, south of town. Mr. Kennell has just returned from Ohio, where he has been the past week attending the funeral of his father. Mr. Kennell reports that the crops in Minnesota are looking fine and that they have been having plenty of rain in that section of the country, and the outlook was never better for a big wheat crop.

APPORTION BONDS

$50,000 ROAD BOND ISSUE DIVIDED BY BOARD.

TO EQUALIZE WORK

Districts to Receive Not to Exceed One-Half of Work Before Another is Started.

The $50,000 road bond issue was apportioned at the meeting of the township board of Polk township Saturday afternoon. The board set aside $20,000 for a general fund and $30,000 was apportioned among the nine road districts of Polk township. This money is apportioned according to the number of sections in each district. The board ordered that each road district receive not to exceed one-half of its work before commencing in another district. This was done to equalize the work in the districts. It has been arranged to pay the employees every week.

The bond of E. H. Bainum, trustee, in the sum of $100,000 was approved with George B. Baker, W. C. Pierce, James B. Robinson and Joseph Jackson, Jr., as sureties.

The $50,000 road bond issue was sold to the Central Trust company of Chicago through the Farmers Trust company of this city. Work commenced last week in district No. 1, and a gang of men are busy putting in cement culverts. Most of the apportioned money will be spent for culverts.

The members of the board are E. H. Bainum, trustee; Ed F. Hamlin, clerk; Ernest Wray and E. P. Powell.

The money received by each district follows: No. 1, $3,552.27; No. 2, $3,679.38; No. 3, $2,726.01; No. 4, $2,217.55; No. 5, $2,662.46; No. 6, $4,823.42; No. 7, $3,870.05; No. 8, $3,170.82; No. 9, $3,298.04.

MRS. LAWRENCE PRESIDED

At Christian Church in Bolckow Sunday Morning—Organized C. W. B. M. Society.

Mrs. O. W. Lawrence, state secretary of the C. W. B. M., who has been in Nodaway county since last Wednesday in the interest of the organization, occupied the pulpit of the Christian church in Bolckow Sunday morning. Mrs. F. P. Robinson was in attendance at the services and sang several solos, which were greatly enjoyed by the congregation. At the noon hour a basket dinner was served. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Lawrence met with the ladies of the church and perfected a C. W. B. M. organization.

During her stay in Bolckow Mrs. Lawrence was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn. She left Monday morning for her home in Kansas City.

Maryville people who went to Bolckow for the services were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank and little son, James; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Miss Nelle Conrad, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and sons, James and Chilton.

SELECT DELEGATES.

Republicans Will Send Twelve to State Convention at St. Louis.

The Republicans of Nodaway county in convention Saturday afternoon selected twelve delegates to attend the state convention at St. Louis on May 27. A fair sized crowd was in attendance. The following were named as delegates: J. S. Shinabargar, W. F. Phares, H. F. Leet, W. B. Tilson, Ed S. Fannon, Walter Freytag, Willis Oxley, Walter Mendenhall, Thomas F. Merrigan, E. R. Harmon, Otis Gray, Willis Wamsley.

M. S. Richards and family, of Guilford spent Monday in Maryville, Mr. Richards having business in probate court.

A. L. Conn, of Grant City, is in the city the guest of his brother, Judge W. H. Conn.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and probably Tuesday; warmer tonight.

TO-NIGHT AT THE BIG TENT

"EVERY WOMAN'S HUSBAND" CURTAIN AT 8:30

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Prosecuting Attorney.

We are authorized to announce ELLIS G. COOK as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM G. SAWYERS as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

For Circuit Clerk.

We are authorized to announce L. P. COLVIN as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Clerk, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

Call for Progressive Party Conference

By order of the County Central Committee of Nodaway County, Missouri, there will be a Conference of the members of the Progressive Party in this county at the court house in Maryville Saturday, May 23, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The principal order of business at this meeting will be the arrangement for putting out a full county ticket this fall. Any other matter for the good of the party will be in order.

Hon. Raymond G. Barrett, of Kansas City, will be present and will deliver an address, and we assure you that he is an able speaker, and one of the coming young men of our party.

All Nodaway county Progressives are earnestly requested to attend this meeting without fail.

Done this 16th day of May, 1914.

J. H. SEWELL,
Chairman County Central Committee.
F. P. ROBINSON,
Secretary.

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WHEN TO SEED LAWNS.

Kentucky Blue Grass and Red Top Mixture Recommended.

Even though the lawn has not been seeded during the early spring, it is well worth while to apply seed to it later. This, however, should not be done during a drought. All lawns should have some application of seed in the spring that they may appear well during the rest of the season, according to the U. S. department of agriculture's landscape gardener.

The best and most widely used mixture for seeding a lawn is one of Kentucky blue grass and red top, equal parts by weight. On absolutely bare soil a pound of seed should be sown to every 200 square feet. Only one-fourth of that amount is necessary on moderately good lawns. Only the very best seed should be used. Seed that is furnished by a reliable seedsman is likely to be good. Thin places should be heavily seeded, and when there are considerable areas almost without grass, it is advisable to sow white clover seed in addition to the mixture already recommended.

Poor preparation of the soil is much more often the cause for poor results than the quality of seed. Where the surface of the ground is not loosened up and well pulverized so that the grass seeds may come in contact with the soil, the best of seeds will not germinate. There should also be plenty of vegetable matter (humus) in the ground for the seed to give the best results.

Sometimes bad weather conditions, as drought, will affect results, even though the seed is good and the soil has been well prepared; nor is a quick rain at the time of sowing an undoubted blessing, for if such a rain just causes the seeds to sprout, and is then followed by dry weather, the weed seeds, already plentiful in the soil, will also sprout, and being stronger to resist the dry weather than the grass seed, will crowd out the latter. The seedsman in such an instance may be blamed without reason for selling an inferior product.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

DEATH AT CLYDE.

Mrs. E. W. Carl Died at Clyde Saturday Evening—Age 66 Years.

Mrs. E. W. Carl of Clyde died on last Saturday evening, after a short illness. She was 66 years of age. She leaves a husband, E. W. Carl, and three children to mourn her death. Two of the children, Mrs. Blanche Markly of St. Joseph and R. O. Carl of St. Joseph, are married, and the youngest son, R. G. Carl, lived at home in Clyde with his parents. Funeral services were held at the home at 9 a. m. Monday. She was buried in the Sweet Home cemetery at Clyde.

WILL BE HELD HERE.

Colored People of Maryville Will Celebrate Here as Usual in August.

The colored people will hold the emancipation celebration in Maryville in August. There have been reports to the effect that they would celebrate in Parnell this year. This has been an annual affair here for many years, and their celebration draws many people for the day. The following are those who have charge of this year's celebration: Alfred Allen, president; C. C. Baker, vice president; Earl Martin, secretary; John Gooden, treasurer; finance committee, C. C. Baker, George Ousley, Henry Wilson; committee on arrangements, Frank Welch, Robert Harden and John Gooden; Steve Martin, flag bearer.

In Police Court.

Charles Chaney was arrested on Saturday night charged with drunkenness. He was tried before Mayor Wright Monday morning and pleaded guilty, and was fined $2 and costs, amounting to $8.10.

Mike Cavanaugh was arrested on Saturday night charged with drunkenness and tried before Mayor Wright on Monday morning. Cavanaugh was represented by an attorney and pleaded not guilty as charged. He will be given a hearing before Mayor Wright by trial on Tuesday morning.

Hold Last Day Dinner.

The Lone Elm school, northeast of Clearmont, held a last day dinner and a short program after the dinner at the school house on last Friday in observance of the last day of school. All the scholars, parents and directors of the district were in attendance at the dinner and a big time was had by all present. Miss Bertha Cross of Hopkins is teacher of the school and has taught a most successful term.

FOR STOMACH TROUBLE.

John W. Skillen of Sidney, Ohio, Has Found a Remedy.

Experts declare that the reason stomach disorders are so common in this country is due to hasty and careless habits of eating. Stomach troubles and run-down conditions usually go together.

John W. Skillen of Sidney, Ohio, says: "I had a bad stomach trouble for years, and became so weak that I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was poor, and it seemed impossible to get any relief. Since taking 'Vinol' I find a remarkable improvement in my health, my digestion is much stronger, and I have gained in weight. I would not be without Vinol."

Vinol makes weak stomachs strong because it strengthens and tones up the weakened, tired and overtaxed nerves of the digestive organs. Vinol is easily assimilated by the weakest stomachs, and is delicious to the taste.

Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

Misses May and Beatrice Growney visited in Conception Sunday, at the home of their uncle, Phil Growney.

JUSTICE SEABURY.

Presides at the Second Trial of Charles Becker, Charged With Murder.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR--A COOL, CLEAN SCALP

Use Parisian Sage—It Makes the Hair Fluffy and Abundant.

It is needless for you to have hair that is anything short of perfection. If it is falling out, losing color, splitting, or if the scalp burns and itches, immediately get from T. J. Parle or any drug counter a 50-cent bottle of Parisian Sage—use it frequently—the first application removes dandruff, invigorates the scalp, and beautifies the hair until it is gloriously radiant.

Parisian Sage supplies hair needs—is perfectly harmless. It contains the exact elements required to make the hair soft, wavy, glossy and to make it grow thick and beautiful.

You will surely like Parisian Sage. It is one of the best and most delightful hair tonics known.

Buys a National.

S. G. Gillam, president of the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust company, bought a six cylinder National car Saturday through W. W. Jones & Company of this city. This is the first National sold by this company, they having recently acquired this territory for this car.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Devore and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Porter of the Harmony church neighborhood were in the city Saturday.

Again we are after your Grocery Order

This Week we are off in the lead WITH THE LOWEST PRICES ON RECORD

5 lbs fine Granulated Sugar (with your order) for 20c
Choice Evaporated California Peaches, 3 lbs 25c
Bright new Prunes, 3 lbs.....25c
Bright New Prunes, 50-lb boxes..$3.75
10c pkg best Seeded Raisins, 2 for 15c
John Morrell's Lean Streaked Breakfast Bacon, lb, 22c; whole pieces, 6 to 8 lbs, lb.....20c
John Morrell's Sugar Cured Bacon, pieces 10 to 15 lbs, at.....18c
Pure Lard, any amount, 2 lbs.....25c

Big cut on Canned Vegetables.

1 dozen finest quality Maryland Tomatoes, large cans.....$1.00
1 dozen choice northern pack June Peas 88c
1 dozen fancy Sugar Corn.....85c
1 dozen large cans best Hominy....60c
1 dozen large cans best Pumpkin...85c
1 dozen large cans choicest Sour Kraut for 88c
1 dozen large cans No. 1 Pork and Beans (tomato sauce).....95c
1 dozen cans good String Beans...80c
1 dozen cans No. 2 size solid Red Ripe Tomatoes 80c

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News of Society and Women's Clubs

Dressmakers Club.

The Dressmakers Club will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. D. E. McDonald, 603 South Main street.

Tourist Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club has been postponed to Tuesday afternoon, May 26, when Mrs. L. E. Dean will be hostess.

Young Ladies' Bridge Club.

Miss Elise Jackson entertained her bridge club Saturday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. John I. Hoffman of Bucyrus, O., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Smith Casteel. There were present Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Cleve Funk, Miss Marie Brink, Miss Maude Bainum, Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Laura Barmann, Miss Kittie Grems.

For Iowa Visitors.

Mrs. Mary Brant and daughter, Miss Anna Brant, entertained with a dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Connell and children, Anice, Frank and Gus O'Connell, of Gravity, Ia. Mrs. O'Connell is a daughter of Mrs. Brant. They made the trip in their car, returning to Gravity Sunday evening.

Farewell Surprise Party.

Mabel Schaub, who, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schaub, are leaving Tuesday for Atchison, Kan., to make their future home, was pleasantly surprised Friday evening by her schoolmates, and classmates of the Baptist Sunday school. The time was enjoyably spent in outdoor games, after which a picnic supper was served. Those present were Grace Dragoo, Theresa Whaley, Marie Cloud, Clydell White, Katherine O'Donnell, Edith Hartness, Wilma Nicholas, Bernice Westfall, Bessie Schaub, George Schaub.

McMillen-Hanna Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Margaret McMillen of Pickering to Mr. Byron Hanna of this city took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillen, Sunday afternoon. The ceremony, witnessed only by relatives, was performed at 5.30 o'clock by Rev. E. W. Killion, pastor of the Pickering Christian church.

The bride wore a gown of white chiffon trimmed in pearls and crepe de chine, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The house was decorated in palms, ferns and pink and white carnations. The table in the dining room, where a three-course luncheon was served, had for a centerpiece an arrangement of pink and white carnations and ferns, and crystal candlesticks holding unshaded pink tapers stood at each corner of the table.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna will make their home this summer with Mr. Hanna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hanna, five miles north of Maryville.

Mission Circle Meeting.

Mrs. E. J. Bailey was hostess to the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Christian church Saturday afternoon. The general subject of the afternoon, "Our New Work in China," was conducted by Miss Fannie Hope. After the business session and devotional exercises Mrs. Charles T. Bell read a paper on "Bible Study—Tyndale and His Bible. Other subjects were discussed as follows: The King's Business, Drilling the King's Army—Education and Prayer—Chapter 4 continued, Mrs. Arch K. Frank; The New America—Its Development—Chapter 2, Miss Maud Hagins; Current Missionary Events, Miss Marie Reuillard; some very interesting missionary events in China were given by Miss Hope. Mrs. Bailey sang a solo and Miss Reuillard played an instrumental solo.

During the social hour a luncheon was served by the hostess. The June meeting will be held at Parkdale, the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, with Mrs. Bellows as hostess, and Miss Gladys Yeaman leader.

One new member, Mrs. Harry Hudson, was added to the society's roll. Mrs. Carl Wiles was a guest at the meeting.

Fred Harvey left on Monday evening for Carthage, Mo., to attend a meeting of the grand lodge at that place. Mr. Harvey went as a representative of the ninth district, I. O. O. F. lodge of Maryville. The meeting will be in session for three days.

Miss Winifred Carpenter returned Sunday from Bethany, where she has been teaching the past year. Her school closed Friday.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

Mrs. A. Swike and son, Merrill, who had been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum, left Sunday morning for their home in Plattsburg.

Miss Lena Brown returned Sunday night from a several days visit in Jefferson City with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dale spent Sunday with Mrs. Dale's sister, Mrs. W. A. Spangler, of near Pickering.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

Misses Edna and Pearl Walter of Burlington Junction spent Saturday and Sunday in Maryville with Miss Edith Spurgeon.

Miss Cecile Benight returned Sunday night from Easton, Mo., where she visited her grandparents, Judge and Mrs. C. W. Benight.

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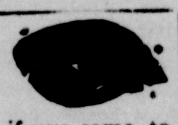

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Reduction Sale.

Mrs. N. C. Covey and Mrs. Herbert Langsdorf will hold an exhibition and reduction sale of laces, hand-woven crepes in white and colors, kimonas, scarfs and novelties at the residence of Mrs. Covey, on Tuesday, May 19.—Adv.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

18 Pounds of Wool From One Sheep.

Elihu Shell and Purl Ashford, who reside northwest of Maryville, were engaged in shearing sheep last week. They report having removed just 18 pounds of wool from one sheep.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

Grant Richards and Milton Richards and family, Albert Bledsoe and family and 'Squire Noland of Guilford were attending to some legal matters in the probate court in this city Monday.

Miss Mabel Todd and Miss Edith Skidmore were Sunday visitors at the home of their cousins, Misses Myrtle and Gertrude Floyd, of Bolckow.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

Misses Gertrude and Georgia Condon spent Sunday in St. Joseph, guests of Miss Eva Montgomery.

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SEEKING PEACE OVER ALL MEXICO

Broad Question Will Be Urged by Huerta's Envoys.

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Intimate That United States Should Assure Peace—Would Eliminate Carranza—Look With Favor on Some Third Person to Lead Nation.

Washington, May 18.—The peace envoys of the Huerta government, who departed from Washington for Niagara Falls, Canada, to attend the mediation conference on Wednesday, are confident of the success of their mission, which it was learned is the broad question of pacifying all of Mexico.

The three Mexican envoys have little idea how long the arrangement of a settlement will keep them at Niagara Falls, but they are confident that their trip will not have been in vain.

The Mexican delegates are said to realize that the present administration in Mexico City is fast crumbling and that the choice of some one to succeed Huerta is inevitable.

But conceding the retirement of Huerta, the delegates are said to be most interested in the vital question of what is to follow, what guarantees are to be obtained against the possible confiscation of property by the invading constitutionalists, protection against conditions of anarchy, and what kind of government will be stable and will obtain world-wide recognition.

On the other hand those close to President Wilson and Secretary Bryan assert that the question which is to be mediated is no longer the failure of Huerta to salute or the offenses committed against the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of pacifying Mexico.

Want Stable Government.

Those who know the broad viewpoint of the Washington government declare the American troops will not be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a stable government is established or is in sight in Mexico City.

Persons close to the Mexican delegates emphasized that the three men who will represent the Huerta government are not "Huertaistas," or the representatives of any group of persons, but are representatives of the interests of the people in the territory controlled by the federals. Though technically the delegates are dealing with an international question—the difference which arose with the United States out of the Tampico incident—privately they admit that before them is the problem of the actual pacification of Mexico.

Persons close to Emilio Rabasa, chairman of the commission and intimate adviser of Huerta, said the Huerta delegates would await the suggestions of the three mediators, but when the time came for their answer to suggestions as to a successor for Huerta, they probably would insist that no man who had gained military prominence should be permitted to take the reins of the government.

This would, in effect, eliminate Generals Carranza and Villa, but there are other men in the constitutionalist ranks who are looked upon as of presidential caliber who would not be unacceptable to the Huerta faction. These, it has been stated, are men of the type of Luis Cabrera, prominent Mexican attorney, close friend and counselor of Carranza.

Aeroplanes Drive Gunboat Out to Sea.

The vulnerability of war vessels to the attack of aeroplanes was demonstrated, according to a message received by General Carranza, when the federal gunboat Morelos, which has been one of the effective defenses of Mazatlan against constitutional attack, was forced to put to sea with her upper works on fire to escape the bombs of the constitutionalist aeroplane fleet.

Federals Blow Up Bridge.

General Funston from Vera Cruz reports that Mexicans have blown up the Interoceanic railroad bridge at San Francisco, twenty-eight miles from Vera Cruz. The bridge spanned the Antiqua river and was 168 feet long.

GRAPHIC STORY OF REFUGEES

Reach San Francisco After Many Experiences on West Coast.

San Francisco, May 18.—Graphic reports of the murder of Americans, the capture by a Mexican transport of the American brig Geneva, the imprisonment of United States Consul Clement S. Edwards of Acapulco, and many other atrocities on the west coast of Mexico were brought in by the officers and 150 refugees on the British steamed Cetriana, which arrived from Manzanillo.

Lieutenant Edward J. Minister, royal naval reserve commander of the Cetriana, got his steamer, loaded with refugees, away from Manzanillo by skillful action on April 28, when he believed the Mexicans were preparing to burn it at the dock by firing and dynamiting the wharves.

According to the refugees, when news of the capture of Vera Cruz by the United States reached the west coast, it was taken by the Mexicans as the beginning of war. The Mexicans were inflamed to a high pitch, they say, and the Americans abandoned their homes and fled. All believe they would have been killed if they had stayed.

CECIL SPRING-RICE.

British Ambassador To Mexico, Who Demands Protection of Foreigners.

Photo by American Press Association.

TAFT GIVES VIEWS ON MEXICAN SITUATION

Ex-President, in New York Address, Counts Cost to U S.

New York, May 18.—William Howard Taft gave his views on the Mexican situation in an address at the free synagogue's celebration of peace Sunday.

While the former president expressed little hope that the pending mediation conference would accomplish its immediate purpose, he asserted the offer of mediation and its acceptance was an important step toward the future settlements of international difficulties in the western hemisphere.

He said there was no popular pressure for a military policy which the administration cannot resist. He said that the people were determined to do their duty even should that duty involve war. But for war, he added, the people have at present little enthusiasm.

The criticism Mr. Taft levelled at the Wilson administration had to do with the aid which, he said, the administration had given to the Mexican constitutionalists.

"It is my judgment," he said, "that if, in our course toward Mexico during the last year, we had not exerted such direct influence as we have to the aid of the contending parties, we should not now be so near general intervention and war. The best expert estimate of the force required by us to garrison the necessary towns, suppress guerrilla warfare and tranquillize the country is 400,000 men, and it is said that this would take two or three years and involve an expenditure of $1,000,000 a day."

DEMAND CHURCH EQAULITY

Southern Methodist Bishops Resist Effort to Gain Laity Rights.

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 18.—The Methodist Episcopal church south is confronted with the question of woman suffrage during the current general conference at Oklahoma City. Sentiment favoring woman suffrage, growing out of the strong demand for laity rights for women, has become so strong that some of the leaders are fearful lest the issue may mar the proceedings. It is feared suffragist members of the church, whose representatives are attending the conference, will make public demands on the delegates for the rights they seek.

Fear exists among those opposed to giving the church women more rights that they will exercise their rights to a much greater extent than men and that eventually they will become preachers, presiding elders and bishops.

Silliman Still Held in Saltillo.

Mexico City, May 18.—John R. Silliman, the American consul at Saltillo, who has been in the custody of the federal authorities for some weeks, has not yet been transferred from that city. It was intended to bring him to Mexico City, but railway communication north of San Luis Potosi has been cut.

Five in Boating Party Drown.

Minneapolis, May 18.—Five members of a party of nine persons in a pleasure launch were drowned when their launch capsized in the Mississippi river, near here. The dead are: Mrs. Otto Justmann and her two children; two children of John C. Buckholz.

Crater of Vesuvius May Collapse.

Naples, May 18.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse owing to the recent activity of the volcano.

Consul General Griffiths Is Dead.

London, May 18.—John L. Griffiths the American consul general at London, died suddenly at his residence of heart disease.

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DAILY BULLETIN

No. 40. Maryville, Mo. Monday, May 18, 1914.

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50c grade for..42c
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FIVE SEAMEN ARE RESCUED

Third Boat of Burned Steamer Columbian Found.

ELEVEN PERISH OF EXPOSURE

Bodies Cast Into the Sea by Their Comrades—Revenue Cutter Seneca Finds Lifeboat After Long Search. Ten Days in Open Boat.

Halifax, May 18.—Five survivors of the freight steamer Columbian were picked up in the north Atlantic by the United States revenue cutter Seneca after thirteen days of terrific suffering in an open boat adrift at sea.

Eleven others of the boat's crew, which left the Columbian when she was burned just south of Sable island on May 3, had succumbed to injuries and privations and their bodies had been thrown overboard. The death roll of the lost freighter now stands at fifteen.

Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Cunard liner Franconia and the steamer Manhattan after two days' exposure.

The men snatched from death by the Seneca were the first officer whose name was not given in the radio dispatch from that vessel, Seamen Robert L. Tiese, Oscar Kendall and Peter Bellanger and Fireman Michael Ludwigsen.

The survivors had lived on only a few ship's biscuits and a cask of water which had long been exhausted. They had gone the limit of human endurance.

Hope for the missing third boat had been abandoned after a dozen of the trans-Atlantic liners searched for five days within a wide radius of the spot where the Columbian burst into flames. To seafaring men, it seemed impossible that a small boat could pass through the series of gales that have since swept the waters and the news that the Seneca had picked up survivors was received almost with incredulity here.

Although the survivors were too weak from their suffering to tell the story completely, the revenue cutter's officers gathered that some of the sixteen, who had hastily filed into the third boat, had been so seriously burned that they died within the first few days. It was decided to lighten the boat by casting the bodies over board. Some who had tumbled from their bunks at the first explosion and had rushed on deck half clothed, succumbed to the cold. Others, weakened by hunger and thirst, gradually sank into lethargy.

The survivors managed to keep the boat head-on to the seas when the weather became rough, but for the past few days little effort or no effort could be made to guide the craft. Day by day the number dwindled until the five who were left sank limply to the bottom of the boat and awaited the end.

When the lookout of the Seneca sighted the small boat through his glasses, not a sign of life was seen. The Seneca put on all speed and raced to the lifeboat, sent her boat alongside. The emaciated survivors were quickly transferred to the cutter and brandy forced between their parched lips.

As all the men were in apparent need of hospital attention, the Seneca has pushed under forced draft to Halifax, the nearest port.

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Hogs—9,000. Market strong; top, $8.40.

Sheep—11,000. Market strong.

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Hogs—3,500. Market strong; top, $8.45.

Sheep—1,800. Market strong.

WILCOX ITEMS.

Dr. C. E. Cossins and wife of Burlington Junction spent Sunday with H. A. Brady.

Mrs. Wm. Hartzell of Kunnels, Ia., is spending the week with her father, W. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shell are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

Mr. Lee Kenny spent Saturday in Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Edman Hartsough of St. Joseph are visiting with C. C. Hainline and family this week.

Bert McKee, wife and children of near Orrsburg were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

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Bone Meal, cwt	$4.00
Meat Meal, cwt	$3.00
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Beef scraps, cwt	$4.00
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THE OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY

J. R. Lawson and family of the Harmony neighborhood were Maryville visitors Monday.

MARY CIROFICI TO TESTIFY

"Dago Frank's" Sister May Blast His Confession.

New York, May 18.—There was every indication that the state hoped before closing its case against former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker today to present new and important testimony, reinforcing the evidence given by Mrs. Lillian Rosenberg, widow of "Lefty Louie," one of the four gunmen executed last month for the murder of Herman Rosenthal.

Mrs. Rosenberg gave testimony linking Becker's name in a new way with the Rosenthal murder conspiracy. The state hopes now, it is understood, to put the sister of another of the executed gunmen, "Dago Frank" Cirofici, on the stand, the inference being that she is expected to present a new version of the so called last confession of her brother, in which he was declared to have insisted that Becker had nothing to do with the Rosenthal murder plot. The sister, Mary Cirofici, was in the death house at Sing Sing prison at the time her brother is alleged to have made his confession.

FREIGHT THROUGH CANAL

Five Barges Carrying 2,100 Tons of Cargo Towed Between Oceans.

Panama, May 18.—Water borne freight began passing through Panama at noon, when five barges, carrying about 2,100 tons of miscellenaous cargo, were towed from Balboa, at the Pacific end, to Cristobal, at the Atlantic end of the canal.

At Paraiso the railway trestle has been removed and a new pontoon bridge swung into position, over which trains are now passing.

The channel through Cucaracha is 135 feet wide, with a depth of thirty-eight feet, sufficient to pass without difficulty a 10,000-ton vessel.

Just when the first steamer will go through, Governor Goethals was unable to say, but it probably will be Wednesday, provided the channel shows no change.

Platte in Colorado Is High.

Kersey, Colo., May 18.—The Platte river at this point is higher than at any time during sixteen years. Two small bridges have been washed away and the big Hyles bridge is so weakened from the washing out of several piers that it has been pronounced unsafe for traffic. Its approaches are under water, as are also hundreds of acres of surrounding farm lands. Men are working day and night building dykes to keep the river from further flooding the bottom lands. The water is rising one foot in every twenty-four hours.

To Pass on Contests First.

Rock Island, May 18.—Officials of the Modern Woodmen at the head camp here announced that credentials for delegates for the head camp meeting at Toledo next month will not be issued until the head credentials committee decides all the state convention contests. The credentials committee will meet at Toledo June 13, three days prior to the head camp meeting

Norway's Centennial Celebration.

Christiania, May 18.—The centennial celebration of the independence of Norway became a great patriotic demonstration. Forty thousand school children, bearing the national flag, paraded before the royal palace in the morning, while the military and civil procession in the afternoon included 8,000 Americans, who carried the Stars and Stripes.

Churchill Loops Loop Six Times.

London, May 18.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, looped the loop six times in a monoplane driven by Gustave Hamel, the English aviator.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Federal League.

Pittsburgh, 2; Chicago, 5.

National League.

New York, 1; Cincinnati, 5.
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.
Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 5.

Western League.

Denver, 3; Omaha, 5.
Topeka, 6; Des Moines, 9.
Wichita, 4; St. Joseph, 2.
Sioux City, 6; Lincoln, 2.

Nebraska State League.

Kearney, 4; Beatrice, 7.
Grand Island, 1; York, 0.
Norfolk, 4; Superior, 3.
Columbus, 0; Hastings, 1.

SAM SCHEPPS.

One of the Informers, Who Will Repeat His Story at Becker Trial.

Photo by American Press Association.

SAYS FEDERAL AID IS STILL NEEDED

Governor of Colorado Declares State Expects it of the Nation.

Denver, May 18.—Governor Ammons announced that federal aid in bringing about a settlement of the Colorado coal miners' strike is desired, even if President Wilson carries out his intention that federal troops may soon be withdrawn from the strike districts.

The governor's announcement followed the interchange of telegrams between himself and President Wilson, in which the president expressed a wish that Colorado should regulate its own difficulties without the presence of United States troops.

"I am earnest in my belief that we should have national aid to bring about a settlement of the strike, because it is an interstate conflict," said Governor Ammons, after he had considered the prospects of maintaining peace in the coal fields should the federal troops be recalled.

"We are grateful to President Wilson for the help given us at a time when foreign matters demanded all available national military forces and we will assume control of the local situation as early as our funds are available."

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

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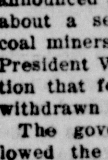

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FOR SALE—Yearling Shorthorn bull. Martin Gross & Sons. 16-22

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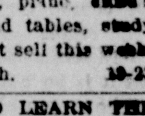

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THE GRADUATING

OF THE EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS HELD SATURDAY.

WINNERS OF THE MEET

Which Was Given After the Commencement Exercises Which Took Place at Empire Theater.

There was a large crowd in attendance at the commencement and track meet exercises of the eighth grade graduates of Polk township, which was held in this city Saturday. The commencement exercises were held in the Empire theater, beginning at 1.30 p. m. The theater was packed to capacity. The following is a list of the graduates who received diplomas:

Ireland—John Wesley Thompson, Francis Halasey, Eugene Hall, Donald Hall.

Rockford—Mary Odessa Wells, Malcolm Wells.

Myrtle Tree—Lucile Wiley, Cleatus Fink.

Herron—Nellie Fisher, Lester Rogers.

Council Corner—Paul Fisher.

Douglas—Harold Erickson.

Shell Grove—Hester Deneen, Marie Lowe.

Wilcox—Harold Ritchie, Vivian Ritchie, Ora Hainline.

Union—Alberta Howard.

Martha Washington—Glenn Haynes, Everett Haynes.

Elm Grove—Ollie Baker.

Highland—Chester Lyle.

Garrett—Mary Andrews.

Rose Hill—Delbert Ambrose.

Bell Grove—Nellie Carden.

Lasher—Iva Williams.

The track meet which was held on the public square had an immense throng of people in attendance. The following is a list of the winners in the events. In all of the events the winners of first place received a prize of $1, and second 50 cents.

50-yard dash and return, for boys in grades 7 and 8—First, Joe Sherlock; second, Dale Hughes. Time, 16 seconds.

50-yard dash, for boys in grades 4, 5 and 6—First, Frank Burch; second, Stanley Aley. Time, 7 seconds.

50-yard dash, for boys in grades 1, 2 and 3—First, George Aley; second, Harry Davis. Time, 7 1-5 seconds.

Ball throwing contest, for girls in grades 6, 7 and 8—First Sadie Aley; second, Esther Birch.

50-yard dash, for girls in grades 4, 5 and 6—First, Vina Dougherty; second, Audrey Birkinholz. Time, 7 1-5 seconds.

50-yard dash, for girls in grades 1, 2 and 3—First, Susie Dougherty; second, Mary Oakerson. Time, 7 3-5 seconds.

Sack race, for boys and girls in grades 2, 3 and 4—First, Harry Davis; second, Hiland Thompson. Time, 8 4-5 seconds.

Potato race, for boys of any grade—First, Frank Burch; second, Paul Halasey. Time, 24 3-5 seconds.

Driving contest, for girls in grades 5, 6, 7 and 8—First, Roberta Wells; second, Mildred Nicholas.

Officers:

Chairman—Miss Ruby Ruddell.

Secretary—Miss Katy McCaffrey.

Treasurer—Miss Mary Fordyce.

Starter—Prof. H. P. Swinehart.

Announcer—Orlo Quinn.

Judges—Byron Hanna, Walter Wray, W. M. Oakerson.

Timer—M. A. Peery.

Score keepers—Ruby Ruddell, Grace Fisher, Mary Watson, Mary Halasey.

Purchased London Pantatorium.

The London Pantatorium has been purchased from Ivan Gorton by McDonald & Neal. The new owners took possession on Monday morning. Roy Neal is the new manager of the company. Mr. Gorton is now located in Shenandoah.

Guests at Kurtz Home.

Mrs. Frank Ridgeway, of Chanute, Kan., will arrive Monday night to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Kurtz. Mrs. Ridgeway is on her way home from a visit with relatives in Glenwood, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Langsdorf and son, Edgar Bloch, spent Sunday in St. Joseph.

PIRATES WIN FROM CONCEPTION

By Score of 10 to 2—Played at Conception Sunday—Good Game Until Seventh Inning.

The Maryville Pirates won the second game of the season by winning from the Conception Sluggers at Concepion Sunday. It was a good game for seven innings, the score standing 6 to 2. Conception had to resort to the use of two pitchers, the Pirates using only one, the same being the case during the game with Ravenwood. The feature of the game was the batting of Conley and Childress, each hitting a three-bagger with two men on bases, making the long end of the score 10 to 2.

The line-ups were as follows:

Sluggers—Wilson, shortstop; Wiles, catcher; Darling, pitcher; Tilson, first base; V. Couley, second base; F. Conley, third base; Childress, left field; David, center field; Miller, right field; Woodward, right field.

Conception — Martindale, second base, Todd shortstop; King, third base; Carson, right field; Graham, left field; Richards, catcher; Colley, centerfield; Britton, first base; McDonald, pitcher.

The Pirates had three errors chalked to their credit while Conception had five. Conception had three hits to their credit while the Pirates had eleven.

PLAYING THE INDIANS.

The Normal Team in Ball Game This Afternoon With Nebraska Indian Team.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the Normal schoo' base ball team meets the fast Nebraska Indian team. The team is known as Green's Nebraska Indian team and has played at Maryville before in the days of the Mink league, when they defeated the Maryville team two games out of three.

With the exception of Miller, the Normal's right fielder, who is out of the game on account of an injury the Normal team is in good shape. The line-up for the beginning of the game this afternoon will be as follows: Leavel, catcher; Ham, pitcher; Dyer, first base; Noblett, second base; McKee shortstop; Bird, third base; Adams, left field; Brittain, center field; Long, right field.

NED HOLMES PAROLED

By Governor Major Last Saturday—Sent to the Pen From Nodaway County.

Ned Holmes, who has been in the state penitentiary at Jefferson City since March 16, 1912, was paroled Saturday by Governor Major. Holmes was sent up for three years from Nodaway county after pleading guilty to a charge of grand larceny. He was charged with having taken a pocketbook from Mary Meeker, who was station agent at Wilcox. One reason for the parole was that Holmes did good work last August during good roads days on the public highways. Holmes is a colored boy.

Y. M. C. A. MEETING FRIDAY.

J. H. Banks, State Secretary, Will Address Mass Meeting at First Christian Church.

J. H. Banks, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will be in Maryville Friday to consult with the executive committee in the movement to have a Y. M. C. A. for Maryville. Mr. Banks will address a mass meeting of men to be held at the First Christian church at 8 p. m. on Friday evening. Mr. Banks will meet with the executive committee at a noon-day luncheon to be held at the Elks club on Friday noon.

FILES FOR RE-NOMINATION.

Charles F. Booher Announces His Entry in the Fourth District.

Congressman Charles F. Booher of Savannah has filed for the Democratic nomination for congress from this district, sending his declaration to Secretary of State Roach last Saturday. So far Mr. Booher is the only candidate of any party from this district.

Visited School Chum.

Misses Dorothy Rowley, Persus Hunt, Marion Sanders and Lucile Cummins spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Catherine Tobin at Burlington Junction.

Marriage Licenses.

Milton C. Baublitts.....Parnell
Ruby A. Bishop.....Parnell
Byron M. Hanna.....Maryville
E. Margaret McMillen.....Pickering

TO PUT OUT TICKET

PROGRESSIVE PARTY HAS SO DECIDED.

CONFERENCE SATURDAY

To Arrange to Put Out the Ticket—No Fusion and Only Progressives to Be Selected.

At a meeting of the Progressive party held last week, it was decided to call a conference of the members of that party in this county to be held next Saturday, May 23, at 2 o'clock in the court house. The purpose of the meeting will be to arrange for a full county ticket and to discuss campaign plans.

The county committee of this party has decided to put out a ticket composed of only Progressives and there will be no fusion with other tickets. At the conference Saturday, the ticket will probably be arranged and these candidates will file before or on June 4, the last day of filing for the primary election to be held on August 4.

Raymond G. Barrett, of Kansas City, will address the meeting on Saturday.

The call for the party conference is in today's paper and is signed by John H. Sewell as chairman and F. P. Robinson as secretary of the county central committee. W. W. Glass, who was chairman of the committee during the last campaign, resigned and Mr. Sewell was selected.

With the Progressives with a full ticket in the field, Nodaway county will have three tickets at the August primary.

DEATH OF F. M. COOPER.

Died at Denver, Col., and Burial Will Take Place in This City on Wednesday.

F. M. Cooper, a former resident of Maryville, died at his home in Denver, Colo., Friday afternoon. He was 74 years old. He is survived by his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Silas Ross of Cotapazi, Colo., and a son, Victor Cooper, of Denver. Mr. Cooper was well known among the older residents of Maryville, as he lived here for many years.

He will be buried here Wednesday afternoon in Miriam cemetery. No services will be held except at the cemetery. The G. A. R. post will have charge of the services. The body will arrive Wednesday noon and will be taken to the cemetery. The pall bearers will be members of the G. A. R. post.

F. M. Cooper was born in Ironton, Lawrence county, O., February 22, 1838, and lived there until 1855, his youth being spent on a farm. In 1855 he moved west and made his home for several years in the Dakotas and Colorado, where he was engaged in mining. He moved to Missouri in the early sixties, and in 1871 was married to Miss Loura McWilliams of St. Joseph. Mrs. Cooper died in 1876, leaving two daughters, Alice and Luona. In 1881 Mr. Cooper built the hotel now known as the Linville. He named it the Luona. At that time this was the finest hotel in northwest Missouri and cost its owners, Cooper & Glasgow, near $26,000.

Mr. Cooper was mayor of Maryville from 1896 to 1898, succeeding John G. Grems to that office. He was a charter member of the G. A. R. post and the Union Veteran Legion. He was the commander of the G. A. R. post here for some time. He built the brick residence now occupied by Thad Wilderman and family, on Lawn avenue. Mr. Cooper was married three times, his third wife, who is a sister of Mrs. R. D. Jones of this city, survives him.

Mr. Cooper moved to Colorado fourteen years ago, residing at Colorado Springs a few years, and then moved to Denver.

G. S. Meyer of Nodaway county reports that up to date this spring more than seventy silos have been sold to farmers in that county. "This, with the large number put up last season, is going to give the farmers a good start in this way of handling feed," Mr. Meyer said.—Kansas City Drovers' Telegram.

John Lewis, Will Fryer, Harger Sems and wife, all of Ravenwood, were in Maryville Saturday on business.

WHEAT CROP BAD

CONDITIONS HERE WORST MR. HUTCHINSON HAS SEEN.

MADE TRIP OVER COUNTY

Says That He Was Unable to Find Field That Was Entirely Free From the Hessian Fly.

"I find the conditions in Nodaway county bad, especially in the eastern and southeastern part of the county. I was unable to find a field that was entirely free from the Hessian fly. In the southwest part of the county I find the wheat in fine condition, but there are traces of the fly. A good rain would be a great help in lessening the deadly work of the fly. In many fields I see no hope of a wheat crop this season, and I suggest putting in corn. I have known that the fly was doing damage to the wheat several places in Missouri, especially in the Missouri river bottoms, but the conditions here are the worst I have seen."—Prof. Hutchinson of the State Agricultural college.

A thorough investigation was made by Prof. C. B. Hutchinson of the University of Missouri Sunday and Monday morning of the wheat situation in Nodaway county, and he found conditions as stated in the above interview.

Meetings were held Monday morning at Barnard, Graham and Skidmore. Those accompanying Prof. Hutchinson were J. S. Shinabargar, H. F. Leet, C. D. Bellows and George L. Wilfley. At Barnard the meeting was held in a wheat field southwest of town at 8 o'clock, and from 80 to 100 farmers attended the meeting. They took great interest in what Mr. Hutchinson had to say. From Barnard Prof. Hutchinson was taken to John Wilson's field, near Graham, where a good crowd awaited him. At 10:30 o'clock a meeting was held at Skidmore.

Prof. Hutchinson arrived Sunday morning from Columbia. Prof. L. Hazeman was unable to come. Prof. Hutchinson and Prof. Hazeman are connected with the agronomy department of the college of agriculture of the University of Missouri. A trip was made Sunday over the east and south part of the county. Those making the trip were W. C. Pierce, G. R. Ellison, Judge W. C. Ellison, Burman Wells, Prof. Cameron of the State Normal, W. R. Smiley, C. D. Bellows, Ray S. Wilfley, G. L. Wilfley, Prof. C. B. Hutchinson, Elmer Fraser, E. H. Bainum, H. F. Leet and Ed Wolfert. About eighty-five miles was covered in the trip. The fields inspected were found to be very badly affected by the Hessian fly, especially the fields near Clyde and Conception. The fly has not hurt the wheat so bad in the south and western part of the county.

The Wells brothers' wheat fields, eleven miles southwest of Maryville, were found to be in the best condition of any of those visited. They have between 400 and 500 acres of wheat in this year. It was hard to find any trace of the fly in their field.

Several farmers between Ravenwood and Maryville began plowing their wheat fields Monday morning and they will plant corn. They took this means knowing that their wheat crops were ruined.

Four meetings are being held this afternoon, one of which was at the court house at 2 o'clock. Prof. Hutchinson will give a talk at that place. From Maryville he went to Harmony church neighborhood, then to the Hughes farm, and holds the final meeting in Burlington Junction at 6 o'clock. Prof. Hutchinson will return to Columbia this evening.

At the meeting held in Maryville this afternoon the court room was crowded with farmers and several of them had samples of their wheat.

Saturday afternoon Allen Bros. sold the L. J. Moon property located in east Maryville to Edgar Alexander, of Burlington Junction. They also sold the S. M. Redfield property located in northwest Maryville to S. K. McBride. Both give possession at once.

Dr. Grace T. Phelps and little daughter, Theodosia, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schick of Coin, Ia.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

CLASS TO WHEAT FIELD.

Normal Agricultural Students Spending Day Noting Work of the Hessian Fly in Wheat Field.

The elementary agricultural class of the Normal school took a trip to the Jake Melvin farm this morning, where they will note the work of the Hessian fly, and also the methods which were used in preparing the ground for a wheat crop.

Prof. John E. Cameron will take some pictures of the insect and its work. About thirty students took the trip.

"MISTRESS MARY."

To Be Given Wednesday and Thursday Nights—A Big Chorus.

The cast of the opera "Mistress Mary" presented by the Twentieth Century club are all working in harmony and accord, and Miss Martin is very much pleased with both their talent and co-operation, realizing the fact she has the support of the most talented and capable young people in Maryville. The first full rehearsals were held Friday and Saturday evenings. The ladies are meeting with big success in the sale of tickets and are hopeful of good houses both nights.

On Saturday afternoon an unusual sight was seen on our main streets in Maryville. Tiny maids in stiff little tarlatan dresses flitted down to the Methodist church with an air of importance that made it apparent that they were the fairies who were to furnish a spectacular feature of the second act. Their costume rehearsal was a great success and their anxious mammas, many of whom were attending the rehearsal for the first time, were proud and happy over the work done by the little ones.

The fairies tip-toed about, pecking here and there in a manner that suggested a revel in the moonlit forest at midnight. They overheard the wicked plot of the three "villains," Tom, Dick and Harry, and their elfish glee in circumventing this plot found expression in the charming chorus "Troubles Are Only Bubbles of Woe," which perhaps is the most popular song in the opera.

By the way, the fairy chorus includes twenty-five of the "sweetest, dearest, tiniest tots in Maryville"—we are quoting Miss Martin's exact words here—and their enthusiasm has been one of the delightful phases of the rehearsal.

Another charming feature of the second act is the dance of the Will o' the Wisp. These are young girls in airy costumes of midnight hue, and the flash of their tiny lanterns as they flit about through the mazes of a really intricate dance adds an air of mystery to it. Their dress rehearsal also occurred Saturday afternoon, and the young girls were very charming in their becoming costumes.

Nine little boys take part of Lambs, and this little flock, led by Forest Holland, as "Willie," May's pet lamb, is a joy and delight. From the time the rehearsals first began these little fellows have been absolutely faithful in taking their parts, and their enthusiastic rendition of various bleets and butts have furnished the comedy at the rehearsals for the interested chaperons and on lookers. They were possibly the only ones at the first general rehearsal of the first act who showed no evidence of stage fright, and they were received with a round of applause.

But the mystery of the play lies in the performance of the frog orchestra. We cannot say very much about this at present, for what they do is a "dead secret," and only the frogs, their chaperons and their directors know what it is to be until the curtain roles up Wednesday night. It is safe to say those in the audience will rub their eyes in an effort to realize the familiar surroundings of the Empire theater—rusley pools, sounds of croaking and finally the gorgeous spectacle of green and yellow frogs themselves will be suggestive of a night of mystery and magic.

W. I. Kennell Here.

W. I. Kennell of Campbell, Minn., left for his home on Monday morning after a week's visit with his son, Alfred Kennell, south of town. Mr. Kennell has just returned from Ohio, where he has been the past week attending the funeral of his father. Mr. Kennell reports that the crops in Minnesota are looking fine and that they have been having plenty of rain in that section of the country, and the outlook was never better for a big wheat crop.

APPORTION BONDS

$50,000 ROAD BOND ISSUE DIVIDED BY BOARD.

TO EQUALIZE WORK

Districts to Receive Not to Exceed One-Half of Work Before Another is Started.

The $50,000 road bond issue was apportioned at the meeting of the township board of Polk township Saturday afternoon. The board set aside $20,000 for a general fund and $30,000 was apportioned among the nine road districts of Polk township. This money is apportioned according to the number of sections in each district. The board ordered that each road district receive not to exceed one-half of its work before commencing in another district. This was done to equalize the work in the districts. It has been arranged to pay the employees every week.

The bond of E. H. Bainum, trustee, in the sum of $100,000 was approved with George B. Baker, W. C. Pierce, James B. Robinson and Joseph Jackson, Jr., as sureties.

The $50,000 road bond issue was sold to the Central Trust company of Chicago through the Farmers Trust company of this city. Work commenced last week in district No. 1, and a gang of men are busy putting in cement culverts. Most of the apportioned money will be spent for culverts.

The members of the board are E. H. Bainum, trustee; Ed F. Hamlin, clerk; Ernest Wray and E. P. Powell.

The money received by each district follows: No. 1, $3,552.27; No. 2, $3,679.38; No. 3, $2,726.01; No. 4, $2,217.55; No. 5, $2,662.46; No. 6, $4,823.42; No. 7, $3,870.05; No. 8, $3,170.82; No. 9, $3,298.04.

MRS. LAWRENCE PRESIDED

At Christian Church in Bolckow Sunday Morning—Organized C. W. B. M. Society.

Mrs. O. W. Lawrence, state secretary of the C. W. B. M., who has been in Nodaway county since last Wednesday in the interest of the organization, occupied the pulpit of the Christian church in Bolckow Sunday morning. Mrs. F. P. Robinson was in attendance at the services and sang several solos, which were greatly enjoyed by the congregation. At the noon hour a basket dinner was served. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Lawrence met with the ladies of the church and perfected a C. W. B. M. organization.

During her stay in Bolckow Mrs. Lawrence was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn. She left Monday morning for her home in Kansas City.

Maryville people who went to Bolckow for the services were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank and little son, James; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Miss Nelle Conrad, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and sons, James and Chilton.

SELECT DELEGATES.

Republicans Will Send Twelve to State Convention at St. Louis.

The Republicans of Nodaway county in convention Saturday afternoon selected twelve delegates to attend the state convention at St. Louis on May 27. A fair sized crowd was in attendance. The following were named as delegates: J. S. Shinabargar, W. F. Phares, H. F. Leet, W. B. Tilson, Ed S. Fannon, Walter Freytag, Willis Oxley, Walter Mendenhall, Thomas F. Merrigan, E. R. Harmon, Otis Gray, Willis Wamsley.

M. S. Richards and family, of Guilford spent Monday in Maryville, Mr. Richards having business in probate court.

A. L. Conn, of Grant City, is in the city the guest of his brother, Judge W. H. Conn.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and probably Tuesday; warmer tonight.

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We are authorized to announce
L. P. COLVIN
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Clerk, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

Call for Progressive Party Conference

By order of the County Central Committee of Nodaway County, Missouri, there will be a Conference of the members of the Progressive Party in this county at the court house in Maryville Saturday, May 23, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The principal order of business at this meeting will be the arrangement for putting out a full county ticket this fall. Any other matter for the good of the party will be in order.

Hon. Raymond G. Barrett, of Kansas City, will be present and will deliver an address, and we assure you that he is an able speaker, and one of the coming young men of our party.

All Nodaway county Progressives are earnestly requested to attend this meeting without fail.

Done this 16th day of May, 1914.

J. H. SEWELL,
Chairman County Central Committee.
F. P. ROBINSON,
Secretary.

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WHEN TO SEED LAWNS.

Kentucky Blue Grass and Red Top Mixture Recommended.

Even though the lawn has not been seeded during the early spring, it is well worth while to apply seed to it later. This, however, should not be done during a drought. All lawns should have some application of seed in the spring that they may appear well during the rest of the season, according to the U. S. department of agriculture's landscape gardener.

The best and most widely used mixture for seeding a lawn is one of Kentucky blue grass and red top, equal parts by weight. On absolutely bare soil a pound of seed should be sown to every 200 square feet. Only one-fourth of that amount is necessary on moderately good lawns. Only the very best seed should be used. Seed that is furnished by a reliable seedsman is likely to be good. Thin places should be heavily seeded, and when there are considerable areas almost without grass, it is advisable to sow white clover seed in addition to the mixture already recommended.

Poor preparation of the soil is much more often the cause for poor results than the quality of seed. Where the surface of the ground is not loosened up and well pulverized so that the grass seeds may come in contact with the soil, the best of seeds will not germinate. There should also be plenty of vegetable matter (humus) in the ground for the seed to give the best results.

Sometimes bad weather conditions, as drought, will affect results, even though the seed is good and the soil has been well prepared; nor is a quick rain at the time of sowing an undoubted blessing, for if such a rain just causes the seeds to sprout, and is then followed by dry weather, the weed seeds, already plentiful in the soil, will also sprout, and being stronger to resist the dry weather than the grass seed, will crowd out the latter. The seedsman in such an instance may be blamed without reason for selling an inferior product.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

DEATH AT CLYDE.

Mrs. E. W. Carl Died at Clyde Saturday Evening—Age 66 Years.

Mrs. E. W. Carl of Clyde died on last Saturday evening, after a short illness. She was 66 years of age. She leaves a husband, E. W. Carl, and three children to mourn her death. Two of the children, Mrs. Blanche Markly of St. Joseph and R. O. Carl of St. Joseph, are married, and the youngest son, R. G. Carl, lived at home in Clyde with his parents. Funeral services were held at the home at 9 a. m. Monday. She was buried in the Sweet Home cemetery at Clyde.

WILL BE HELD HERE.

Colored People of Maryville Will Celebrate Here as Usual in August.

The colored people will hold the emancipation celebration in Maryville in August. There have been reports to the effect that they would celebrate in Parnell this year. This has been an annual affair here for many years, and their celebration draws many people for the day. The following are those who have charge of this year's celebration: Alfred Allen, president; C. C. Baker, vice president; Earl Martin, secretary; John Gooden, treasurer; finance committee, C. C. Baker, George Ousley, Henry Wilson; committee on arrangements, Frank Welch, Robert Harden and John Gooden; Steve Martin, flag bearer.

In Police Court.

Charles Chaney was arrested on Saturday night charged with drunkenness. He was tried before Mayor Wright Monday morning and pleaded guilty, and was fined $2 and costs, amounting to $8.10.

Mike Cavanaugh was arrested on Saturday night charged with drunkenness and tried before Mayor Wright on Monday morning. Cavanaugh was represented by an attorney and pleaded not guilty as charged. He will be given a hearing before Mayor Wright by trial on Tuesday morning.

Hold Last Day Dinner.

The Lone Elm school, northeast of Clearmont, held a last day dinner and a short program after the dinner at the school house on last Friday in observance of the last day of school. All the scholars, parents and directors of the district were in attendance at the dinner and a big time was had by all present. Miss Bertha Cross of Hopkins is teacher of the school and has taught a most successful term.

FOR STOMACH TROUBLE.

John W. Skillen of Sidney, Ohio, Has Found a Remedy.

Experts declare that the reason stomach disorders are so common in this country is due to hasty and careless habits of eating. Stomach troubles and run-down conditions usually go together.

John W. Skillen of Sidney, Ohio, says: "I had a bad stomach trouble for years, and became so weak that I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was poor, and it seemed impossible to get any relief. Since taking 'Vinol' I find a remarkable improvement in my health, my digestion is much stronger, and I have gained in weight. I would not be without Vinol."

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Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

Misses May and Beatrice Growney visited in Conception Sunday, at the home of their uncle, Phil Growney.

JUSTICE SEABURY.

Presides at the Second Trial of Charles Becker, Charged With Murder.

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Buys a National.

S. G. Gillam, president of the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust company, bought a six cylinder National car Saturday through W. W. Jones & Company of this city. This is the first National sold by this company, they having recently acquired this territory for this car.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Devore and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Porter of the Harmony church neighborhood were in the city Saturday.

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Bright New Prunes, 50-lb boxes .. $3.75
10c pkg best Seeded Raisins, 2 for 15c
John Morrell's Lean Streaked Breakfast Bacon, lb, 22c; whole pieces, 6 to 8 lbs, lb 20c
John Morrell's Sugar Cured Bacon, pieces 10 to 15 lbs, at 18c
Pure Lard, any amount, 2 lbs 25c
Big cut on Canned Vegetables.
1 dozen finest quality Maryland Tomatoes, large cans $1.00
1 dozen choice northern pack June Peas 88c
1 dozen fancy Sugar Corn 85c
1 dozen large cans best Hominy 60c
1 dozen large cans best Pumpkin .. 85c
1 dozen large cans choicest Sour Kraut for 88c
1 dozen large cans No. 1 Pork and Beans (tomato sauce) 95c
1 dozen cans good String Beans .. 80c
1 dozen cans No. 2 size solid Red Ripe Tomatoes 80c

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* 500 lbs Hershey's absolutely pure Cocoa, in bulk, made from highest grade of Cocoa Beans obtainable. Usually sold in cans at 45c to 50c per lb. Our price in this sale, per lb ..... 18c *
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* All 10c to 15s bottles at 2 for 15c *
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* Dingee's Sliced Dills, tall bottles, 3 for ..... 25c *
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* FRUITELLO—The home drink; cooling, refreshing and satisfying. Try a pkg today. Special price ..... 8c *
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25c pkg Uncle Sam Health Food ... 20c
5 lbs fancy Jap Head Rice 25c
25c sack fresh Corn Meal 21c
Gallon jug pure Tomato Catsup 65c
Gallon jug best German Mustard, 45c
7 boxes Argo Lump Starch 25c
4-lb pkg Naptha Washing Powder .. 15c
4-lb pkg Gold Dust Powder 18c
Half dozen cans Blackberries or Gooseberries 50c
10-lb sacks fresh Graham Flour ... 25c
1 dozen cans Alaska Salmon (1-lb tall cans) 95c
1 dozen No. 1 tall cans Medium Red Salmon $1.25
1 dozen No. 1 tall cans finest Blood Red Salmon $1.75
50 boxes best Wisconsin Cream Cheese, 2 lbs, 45c; 5 lbs $1.00
Pint bottles pure Tomato Catsup, 3 for 25c
Bananas, doz 18c
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News of Society and Women's Clubs

Dressmakers Club.

The Dressmakers Club will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock with Mrs. D. E. McDonald, 603 South Main street.

Tourist Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Tourist department of the Twentieth Century club has been postponed to Tuesday afternoon, May 26, when Mrs. L. E. Dean will be hostess.

Young Ladies' Bridge Club.

Miss Elise Jackson entertained her bridge club Saturday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. John I. Hoffman of Bucyrus, O., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Smith Casteel. There were present Mrs. Hoffman, Mrs. Cleve Funk, Miss Marie Brink, Miss Maude Bainum, Miss Brownie Toel, Miss Laura Barmann, Miss Kittie Grems.

For Iowa Visitors.

Mrs. Mary Brant and daughter, Miss Anna Brant, entertained with a dinner Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Connell and children, Anice, Frank and Gus O'Connell, of Gravity, Ia. Mrs. O'Connell is a daughter of Mrs. Brant. They made the trip in their car, returning to Gravity Sunday evening.

Farewell Surprise Party.

Mabel Schaub, who, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schaub, are leaving Tuesday for Atchison, Kan., to make their future home, was pleasantly surprised Friday evening by her schoolmates, and classmates of the Baptist Sunday school. The time was enjoyably spent in outdoor games, after which a picnic supper was served. Those present were Grace Dragoo, Theresa Whaley, Marie Cloud, Clydell White, Katherine O'Donnell, Edith Hartness, Wilma Nicholas, Bernice Westfall, Bessie Schaub, George Schaub.

McMillen-Hanna Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Margaret McMillen of Pickering to Mr. Byron Hanna of this city took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillen, Sunday afternoon. The ceremony, witnessed only by relatives, was performed at 5.30 o'clock by Rev. E. W. Killion, pastor of the Pickering Christian church.

The bride wore a gown of white chiffon trimmed in pearls and crepe de chine, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The house was decorated in palms, ferns and pink and white carnations. The table in the dining room, where a three-course luncheon was served, had for a centerpiece an arrangement of pink and white carnations and ferns, and crystal candlesticks holding unshaded pink tapers stood at each corner of the table.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanna will make their home this summer with Mr. Hanna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hanna, five miles north of Maryville.

Mission Circle Meeting.

Mrs. E. J. Bailey was hostess to the Young Ladies' Mission Circle of the First Christian church Saturday afternoon. The general subject of the afternoon, "Our New Work in China," was conducted by Miss Fannie Hope. After the business session and devotional exercises Mrs. Charles T. Bell read a paper on "Bible Study—Tyndale and His Bible. Other subjects were discussed as follows: The King's Business, Drilling the King's Army—Education and Prayer—Chapter 4 continued, Mrs. Arch K. Frank; The New America—Its Development—Chapter 2, Miss Maud Hagins; Current Missionary Events, Miss Marie Reuillard; some very interesting missionary events in China were given by Miss Hope. Mrs. Bailey sang a solo and Miss Reuillard played an instrumental solo.

During the social hour a luncheon was served by the hostess. The June meeting will be held at Parkdale, the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows, with Mrs. Bellows as hostess, and Miss Gladys Yeaman leader.

One new member, Mrs. Harry Hudson, was added to the society's roll. Mrs. Carl Wiles was a guest at the meeting.

Fred Harvey left on Monday evening for Carthage, Mo., to attend a meeting of the grand lodge at that place. Mr. Harvey went as a representative of the ninth district, I. O. O. F. lodge of Maryville. The meeting will be in session for three days.

Miss Winifred Carpenter returned Sunday from Bethany, where she has been teaching the past year. Her school closed Friday.

For hammocks see Love & Gaugh.

Mrs. A. Swike and son, Merrill, who had been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum, left Sunday morning for their home in Plattsburg.

Miss Lena Brown returned Sunday night from a several days visit in Jefferson City with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dale spent Sunday with Mrs. Dale's sister, Mrs. W. A. Spangler, of near Pickering.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

Misses Edna and Pearl Walter of Burlington Junction spent Saturday and Sunday in Maryville with Miss Edith Spurgeon.

Miss Cecile Benight returned Sunday night from Easton, Mo., where she visited her grandparents, Judge and Mrs. C. W. Benight.

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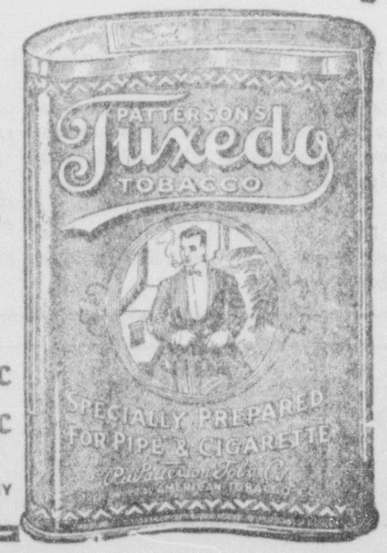

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Reduction Sale.

Mrs. N. C. Covey and Mrs. Herbert Langsdorf will hold an exhibition and reduction sale of laces, hand-woven crepes in white and colors, kimonas, scarfs and novelties at the residence of Mrs. Covey, on Tuesday, May 19.—Adv.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

18 Pounds of Wool From One Sheep.

Elihu Shell and Purl Ashford, who reside northwest of Maryville, were engaged in shearing sheep last week. They report having removed just 18 pounds of wool from one sheep.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

Grant Richards and Milton Richards and family, Albert Bledsoe and family and 'Squire Noland of Guilford were attending to some legal matters in the probate court in this city Monday.

Miss Mabel Todd and Miss Edith Skidmore were Sunday visitors at the home of their cousins, Misses Myrtle and Gertrude Floyd, of Bolckow.

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

Misses Gertrude and Georgia Condon spent Sunday in St. Joseph, guests of Miss Eva Montgomery.

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SEEKING PEACE OVER ALL MEXICO

Broad Question Will Be Urged by Huerta's Envoys.

ASK GOVERNMENT GUARANTEE

Intimate That United States Should Assure Peace—Would Eliminate Carranza—Look With Favor on Some Third Person to Lead Nation.

Washington, May 18.—The peace envoys of the Huerta government, who departed from Washington for Niagara Falls, Canada, to attend the mediation conference on Wednesday, are confident of the success of their mission, which it was learned is the broad question of pacifying all of Mexico.

The three Mexican envoys have little idea how long the arrangement of a settlement will keep them at Niagara Falls, but they are confident that their trip will not have been in vain.

The Mexican delegates are said to realize that the present administration in Mexico City is fast crumbling and that the choice of some one to succeed Huerta is inevitable.

But conceding the retirement of Huerta, the delegates are said to be most interested in the vital question of what is to follow, what guarantees are to be obtained against the possible confiscation of property by the invading constitutionalists, protection against conditions of anarchy, and what kind of government will be stable and will obtain world-wide recognition.

On the other hand those close to President Wilson and Secretary Bryan assert that the question which is to be mediated is no longer the failure of Huerta to salute or the offenses committed against the dignity of the United States, but the broad question of pacifying Mexico.

Want Stable Government.

Those who know the broad viewpoint of the Washington government declare the American troops will not be withdrawn from Vera Cruz until a stable government is established or is in sight in Mexico City.

Persons close to the Mexican delegates emphasized that the three men who will represent the Huerta government are not "Huertaistas," or the representatives of any group of persons, but are representatives of the interests of the people in the territory controlled by the federals. Though technically the delegates are dealing with an international question—the difference which arose with the United States out of the Tampico incident—privately they admit that before them is the problem of the actual pacification of Mexico.

Persons close to Emilio Rabasa, chairman of the commission and intimate adviser of Huerta, said the Huerta delegates would await the suggestions of the three mediators, but when the time came for their answer to suggestions as to a successor for Huerta, they probably would insist that no man who had gained military prominence should be permitted to take the reins of the government.

This would, in effect, eliminate Generals Carranza and Villa, but there are other men in the constitutionalist ranks who are looked upon as of presidential caliber who would not be unacceptable to the Huerta faction. These, it has been stated, are men of the type of Luis Cabrera, prominent Mexican attorney, close friend and counselor of Carranza.

Aeroplanes Drive Gunboat Out to Sea.

The vulnerability of war vessels to the attack of aeroplanes was demonstrated, according to a message received by General Carranza, when the federal gunboat Morelos, which has been one of the effective defenses of Mazatlan against constitutional attack, was forced to put to sea with her upper works on fire to escape the bombs of the constitutionalist aeroplane fleet.

Federals Blow Up Bridge.

General Funston from Vera Cruz reports that Mexicans have blown up the Interoceanic railroad bridge at San Francisco, twenty-eight miles from Vera Cruz. The bridge spanned the Antiqua river and was 168 feet long.

GRAPHIC STORY OF REFUGEES

Reach San Francisco After Many Experiences on West Coast.

San Francisco, May 18.—Graphic reports of the murder of Americans, the capture by a Mexican transport of the American brig Geneva, the imprisonment of United States Consul Clement S. Edwards of Acapulco, and many other atrocities on the west coast of Mexico were brought in by the officers and 150 refugees on the British steamed Cetriana, which arrived from Manzanillo.

Lieutenant Edward J. Minister, royal naval reserve commander of the Cetriana, got his steamer, loaded with refugees, away from Manzanillo by skillful action on April 28, when he believed the Mexicans were preparing to burn it at the dock by firing and dynamiting the wharves.

According to the refugees, when news of the capture of Vera Cruz by the United States reached the west coast, it was taken by the Mexicans as the beginning of war. The Mexicans were inflamed to a high pitch, they say, and the Americans abandoned their homes and fled. All believe they would have been killed if they had stayed.

CECIL SPRING-RICE.

British Ambassador To Mexico, Who Demands Protection of Foreigners.

Photo by American Press Association.

TAFT GIVES VIEWS ON MEXICAN SITUATION

Ex-President, in New York Address, Counts Cost to U. S.

New York, May 18.—William Howard Taft gave his views on the Mexican situation in an address at the free synagogue's celebration of peace Sunday.

While the former president expressed little hope that the pending mediation conference would accomplish its immediate purpose, he asserted the offer of mediation and its acceptance was an important step toward the future settlements of international difficulties in the western hemisphere.

He said there was no popular pressure for a military policy which the administration cannot resist. He said that the people were determined to do their duty even should that duty involve war. But for war, he added, the people have at present little enthusiasm.

The criticism Mr. Taft levelled at the Wilson administration had to do with the aid which, he said, the administration had given to the Mexican constitutionalists.

"It is my judgment," he said, "that if, in our course toward Mexico during the last year, we had not exerted such direct influence as we have to the aid of the contending parties, we should not now be so near general intervention and war. The best expert estimate of the force required by us to garrison the necessary towns, suppress guerrilla warfare and tranquillize the country is 400,000 men, and it is said that this would take two or three years and involve an expenditure of $1,000,000 a day."

DEMAND CHURCH EQAULITY

Southern Methodist Bishops Resist Effort to Gain Laity Rights.

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 18.—The Methodist Episcopal church south is confronted with the question of woman suffrage during the current general conference at Oklahoma City. Sentiment favoring woman suffrage, growing out of the strong demand for laity rights for women, has become so strong that some of the leaders are fearful lest the issue may mar the proceedings. It is feared suffragist members of the church, whose representatives are attending the conference, will make public demands on the delegates for the rights they seek.

Fear exists among those opposed to giving the church women more rights that they will exercise their rights to a much greater extent than men and that eventually they will become preachers, presiding elders and bishops.

Silliman Still Held in Saltillo.

Mexico City, May 18.—John R. Silliman, the American consul at Saltillo, who has been in the custody of the federal authorities for some weeks, has not yet been transferred from that city. It was intended to bring him to Mexico City, but railway communication north of San Luis Potosi has been cut.

Five in Boating Party Drown.

Minneapolis, May 18.—Five members of a party of nine persons in a pleasure launch were drowned when their launch capsized in the Mississippi river, near here. The dead are: Mrs. Otto Justmann and her two children; two children of John C. Buckholz.

Crater of Vesuvius May Collapse.

Naples, May 18.—A large part of the top of the crater of Mount Vesuvius is threatening to collapse owing to the recent activity of the volcano.

Consul General Griffiths Is Dead.

London, May 18.—John L. Griffiths the American consul general at London, died suddenly at his residence of heart disease.

Alderman-Yehle

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Company — West Third Street

DAILY BULLETIN

No. 40. Maryville, Mo. Monday, May 18, 1914.

May Sale of

Toilet Specialties

The object of this event is to call your attention to the large stock of well-known Toilet Specialties which the Alderman-Yehle store carries. Reduced prices are for this week only.

Face Creams

COLGATE'S COLD CREAM, an exquisitely perfumed cream for cleansinp, preserving and beautifying the skin. Absolutely pure and harmless. Regular 25c size for **21c.**

POMPEIAN MASSAGE CREAM, the regular $1 size which we sell regularly for 89c, reduced this week to **69c.**

SANITAL FACE CREAM, a non-grease, disappearing cream which cleanses the pores and nourishes and beautifies the skin. Relieves the sting of sunburn and softens chapped and roughened skin. Regular 25c size reduced to **19c.**

MELBA FACE CREAM SKIN MASSAGE is most effective for removing wrinkles. the regular 50c size reduced to **42c.**

MELBA COLD CREAM, reduced from 50c to **42c.**

BENZOIN AND ALMOND LOTION, a liquid preparation of great value; 25c size for **21c.**

HIND'S HONEY AND ALMOND CREAM, a liquid preparation which has been in great favor for years; 50c bottle reduced to **42c.**

All 50c
Perfumes
45c an Ounce
Except Palmer's and Hudnut's

Soaps

JERGEN'S VIOLET SOAP, the real odor of violets; 10c cake reduced to **7c.**

COLGATE'S CASHMERE BOUQUET SOAP, pure and healthful; 15c size cake for **12c.**

"4711" WHITE ROSE TRANSPARENT GLYCERINE SOAP, a pure glycerine soap with a distinctive odor; 19c size cake for **17.**

WOODBURY'S FACIAL SOAP, the regular 25c size which we sell regularly for 23c, reduced this week to **20c.**

COLGATE'S "ALL-ROUND" BATH SOAP, an economical large sized bar; 10c value reduced to **7c.**

COLGATE'S "BIG BATH" SOAP, 10c size for **7c.**

JERGEN'S CASTILE SOAP, absolutely pure, in large 2-lb bars, all quality, regular price the bar, 25c; reduced to **19c.**

Shaving Soaps

COLGATE'S RAPID SHAVE POWDER, in handy nickeled box, our regular 19c size, special, **15c.**

COLGATE'S SHAVING STICK, gives a rich, creamy lather; 19c size for **15c;** 15c size for **12c.**

COLGATE'S SHAVING CREAM, in tubes, ready for use; 25c tube for **19c.**

WILLIAM'S SHAVING SOAP, 8 cakes in a pound, regular 25c value, reduced to, the pound, **19c.**

Toilet Waters
50c grade for..**42c**
25c grade for..**21c**
(Except Palmer's and Hudnut's)

Talcums

JERGEN'S ORIENTAL TALCUM POWDER, finely ground, with an unusual odor; 15c size for **10c.**

COLGATE'S CASHMERE BOUQUET TALC POWDER, 25c size for **21c;** 15c size, special, **12c.**

Tooth Pastes

COLGATE'S RIBBON DENTAL CREAM, one of the most popular dental creams made; dental creams made; economical, lasting, satisfactory; the regular 25c size which we sell for 23c, reduced to **19c.**

PEBECO TOOTH PASTE, unexcelled for whitening the teeth and overcoming acid mouth. Made after a famous German formula. 50c size reduced to **42c.**

WOODBURY'S DENTAL CREAM, the regular 25c size reduced to **21c.**

Peroxide
Large 25c Bottle
12c

MENTHOLATUM, 25c jar for **21c.**

"MUM," takes all the odor out of perspiration; 25c jar for **21c.**

"NON-SPI," regular 50c jar reduced to **45c.**

CELLULOID COMBS, good quality, in red, yellow, green and white; regular 25c value, choice for **19c.**

WOOL POWDER PUFFS, 10c size for **8c.**

"FLUFF-OO," a dry hair shampoo and beautifier; 10c box for **8c.**

RARUS NAIL POLISH, 19c box for **15c.**

MELBA ROUGE, 25c box for **21c.**

CHAMOIS REDUCED 15 PER CENT. All sizes and grades included.

Face Powders

LA BLACHE FACE POWDER, the maker's 50c size, which we sell for 45c, reduced to **39c.**

POZZONI'S FACE POWDER, in a metal vanity case containing a full sized box of Pozzoni's Powder, a box of Pozzoni's Rouge and a fine chamois, all for the price of the powder alone. Regular 50c size reduced to **42c.**

COLGATE'S FACE POWDERS, choice of these odors, Caprice, Charmis, Violet, Heliotrope, Cashmere Bouquet and La France Rose. Regular 25c size for **21c.**

WOODBURY'S FACIAL POWDERS, 25c size for **21c.**

SCHNEIDER SISTERS' FACE CREAM, 50c size for **42c.**

EGYPTIAN FACE POWDER, 25c size for **21c.**

O-Cedar Mops
$1.50 Size
$1.15

Wizard Mops
$1.50 Size
$1.15

O-Cedar and Wizard Polish and Liquid Veneer reduced as follows:
50c Size Can
42c
25c Size Can
21c

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—21,000. Market 10c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.

Hogs—3,000. Market 5c higher; top, $8.50. Estimate tomorrow, 13,000.

Sheep—18,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—8,000. Market 10c lower.

Hogs—9,000. Market strong; top, $8.40.

Sheep—11,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,000. Market slow.

Hogs—3,500. Market strong; top, $8.45.

Sheep—1,800. Market strong.

WILCOX ITEMS.

Dr. C. E. Cossins and wife of Burlington Junction spent Sunday with H. A. Brady.

Mrs. Wm. Hartzell of Kunnels, Ia., is spending the week with her father, W. A. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shell are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

Mr. Lee Kenny spent Saturday in Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Edman Hartsough of St. Joseph are visiting with C. C. Hainline and family this week.

Bert McKee, wife and children of near Orrsburg were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

R. S. Braniger, East Side Square, 307

Cotton Cake, ton	$30.50	Bloody Butcher, bu	$2.50
Linseed Oil Meal, ton	$32.00	Reed's Yellow Dent, bu	$2.50
Swift's Tankage, ton	$47.00	Iowa Gold Mine, bu	Out
Alfalfa Meal, ton	$26.00	Iowa Silver Mine, bu	Out
Alfalmo, ton	$26.00	Red Clover Seed, bu	$10.00
Corn Chop, cwt	$1.55	While Clover Seed, bu	$24.00
Corn and Oats Chop, cwt	$1.55	Alsyke Clover Seed, bu	$18.00
Bran and Shorts, cwt	$1.45	Alfalfa Seed, bu	$8.00
Calf Meal, cwt	$4.00	Timothy Seed, bu	$2.50
Oat Meal, cwt	$2.50	English Blue Grass, bu	$2.00
Hay, Straw, Corn and Oats.		Kentucky Blue Grass, bu	$2.50

FEEDS

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Poultry Feed.

Scratch Food, cwt	$2.25
Chick Food, cwt	$2.25
Steel Cut Oats, cwt	$4.00
Crystal Grit, cwt	$1.00
Oyster Shell, cwt	90c
Bone Meal, cwt	$4.00
Meat Meal, cwt	$3.00
Blood Meal, cwt	$4.00
Beef scraps, cwt	$4.00
Egg Force, cwt	50c

Millet Seed	$1.50
Cane Seed, Amber	$1.75
Cane Seed, Orange	$2.00
Cow Peas Seed	$2.50
Rape Seed	$4.00
Kaffir Corn Feed	$1.50
Kaffir Corn Seed	$1.75
Fruit Jar Founts, 10c; 3, 25c	
Galvanized Brood Coops, $1.25	

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FIVE SEAMEN ARE RESCUED

Third Boat of Burned Steamer Columbian Found.

ELEVEN PERISH OF EXPOSURE

Bodies Cast Into the Sea by Their Comrades—Revenue Cutter Seneca Finds Lifeboat After Long Search. Ten Days in Open Boat.

Halifax, May 18.—Five survivors of the freight steamer Columbian were picked up in the north Atlantic by the United States revenue cutter Seneca after thirteen days of terrific suffering in an open boat adrift at sea.

Eleven others of the boat's crew, which left the Columbian when she was burned just south of Sable island on May 3, had succumbed to injuries and privations and their bodies had been thrown overboard. The death roll of the lost freighter now stands at fifteen.

Twenty-seven other members of the crew were saved by the Cunard liner Franconia and the steamer Manhattan after two days' exposure.

The men snatched from death by the Seneca were the first officer whose name was not given in the radio dispatch from that vessel, Seamen Robert L. Tiese, Oscar Kendall and Peter Bellanger and Fireman Michael Ludwigsen.

The survivors had lived on only a few ship's biscuits and a cask of water which had long been exhausted. They had gone the limit of human endurance.

Hope for the missing third boat had been abandoned after a dozen of the trans-Atlantic liners searched for five days within a wide radius of the spot where the Columbian burst into flames. To seafaring men, it seemed impossible that a small boat could pass through the series of gales that have since swept the waters and the news that the Seneca had picked up survivors was received almost with incredulity here.

Although the survivors were too weak from their suffering to tell the story completely, the revenue cutter's officers gathered that some of the sixteen, who had hastily filed into the third boat, had been so seriously burned that they died within the first few days. It was decided to lighten the boat by casting the bodies overboard. Some who had tumbled from their bunks at the first explosion and had rushed on deck half clothed, succumbed to the cold. Others, weakened by hunger and thirst, gradually sank into lethargy.

The survivors managed to keep the boat head-on to the seas when the weather became rough, but for the past few days little effort or no effort could be made to guide the craft. Day by day the number dwindled until the five who were left sank limply to the bottom of the boat and awaited the end.

When the lookout of the Seneca sighted the small boat through his glasses, not a sign of life was seen. The Seneca put on all speed and raced to the lifeboat, sent her boat alongside. The emaciated survivors were quickly transferred to the cutter and brandy forced between their parched lips.

As all the men were in apparent need of hospital attention, the Seneca has pushed under forced draft to Halifax, the nearest port.

FREIGHT THROUGH CANAL

Five Barges Carrying 2,100 Tons of Cargo Towed Between Oceans.

Panama, May 18.—Water borne freight began passing through Panama at noon, when five barges, carrying about 2,100 tons of miscellenaous cargo, were towed from Balboa, at the Pacific end, to Cristobal, at the Atlantic end of the canal.

At Paraiso the railway trestle has been removed and a new pontoon bridge swung into position, over which trains are now passing.

The channel through Cucaracha is 135 feet wide, with a depth of thirty-eight feet, sufficient to pass without difficulty a 10,000-ton vessel.

Just when the first steamer will go through, Governor Goethals was unable to say, but it probably will be Wednesday, provided the channel shows no change.

Platte in Colorado Is High.

Kersey, Colo., May 18.—The Platte river at this point is higher than at any time during sixteen years. Two small bridges have been washed away and the big Hyles bridge is so weakened from the washing out of several piers that it has been pronounced unsafe for traffic. Its approaches are under water, as are also hundreds of acres of surrounding farm lands. Men are working day and night building dykes to keep the river from further flooding the bottom lands. The water is rising one foot in every twenty-four hours.

To Pass on Contests First.

Rock Island, May 18.—Officials of the Modern Woodmen at the head camp here announced that credentials for delegates for the head camp meeting at Toledo next month will not be issued until the head credentials committee decides all the state convention contests. The credentials committee will meet at Toledo June 13, three days prior to the head camp meeting

Uneeda Biscuit

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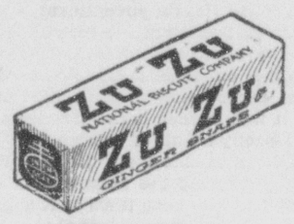

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J. R. Lawson and family of the Harmony neighborhood were Maryville visitors Monday.

MARY CIROFICI TO TESTIFY

"Dago Frank's" Sister May Blast His Confession.

New York, May 18.—There was every indication that the state hoped before closing its case against former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker today to present new and important testimony, reinforcing the evidence given by Mrs. Lillian Rosenberg, widow of "Lefty Louie," one of the four gunmen executed last month for the murder of Herman Rosenthal.

Mrs. Rosenberg gave testimony linking Becker's name in a new way with the Rosenthal murder conspiracy. The state hopes now, it is understood, to put the sister of another of the executed gunmen, "Dago Frank" Cirofici, on the stand, the inference being that she is expected to present a new version of the so called last confession of her brother, in which he was declared to have insisted that Becker had nothing to do with the Rosenthal murder plot. The sister, Mary Cirofici, was in the death house at Sing Sing prison at the time her brother is alleged to have made his confession.

Norway's Centennial Celebration.

Christiania, May 18.—The centennial celebration of the independence of Norway became a great patriotic demonstration. Forty thousand school children, bearing the national flag, paraded before the royal palace in the morning, while the military and civil procession in the afternoon included 8,000 Americans, who carried the Stars and Stripes.

Churchill Loops Loop Six Times.

London, May 18.—Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, looped the loop six times in a monoplane driven by Gustave Hamel, the English aviator.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Federal League.

Pittsburgh, 2; Chicago, 5.

National League.

New York, 1; Cincinnati, 5.
Philadelphia, 4; Chicago, 2.
Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 5.

Western League.

Denver, 3; Omaha, 5.
Topeka, 6; Des Moines, 9.
Wichita, 4; St. Joseph, 2.
Sioux City, 6; Lincoln, 2.

Nebraska State League.

Kearney, 4; Beatrice, 7.
Grand Island, 1; York, 0.
Norfolk, 4; Superior, 3.
Columbus, 0; Hastings, 1.

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SAM SCHEPPS.

One of the Informers, Who Will Repeat His Story at Becker Trial.

Photo by American Press Association.

SAYS FEDERAL AID IS STILL NEEDED

Governor of Colorado Declares State Expects it of the Nation.

Denver, May 18.—Governor Ammons announced that federal aid in bringing about a settlement of the Colorado coal miners' strike is desired, even if President Wilson carries out his intention that federal troops may soon be withdrawn from the strike districts.

The governor's announcement followed the interchange of telegrams between himself and President Wilson, in which the president expressed a wish that Colorado should regulate its own difficulties without the presence of United States troops.

"I am earnest in my belief that we should have national aid to bring about a settlement of the strike, because it is an interstate conflict," said Governor Ammons, after he had considered the prospects of maintaining peace in the coal fields should the federal troops be recalled.

"We are grateful to President Wilson for the help given us at a time when foreign matters demanded all available national military forces and we will assume control of the local situation as early as our funds are available."

For wall paper see Love & Gaugh.

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Ryks Plumbing Co., formerly of Omaha. Hanamo 270. Up-to-date first class plumbing. South side square. 21-tf

WANTED—Your lawn mower to sharpen. Armstrong foundry. 28-tf

WANTED—Orders for Nu-Bone Corsets. Mrs. Anna Day. 14-11

FOR SALE—Yearling Shorthorn bull. Martin Gross & Sons. 16-22

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See Dr. Becker for cleaning and pressing. The Clothes Doctor, at 209½ North Main.

WANTED—About five more cows to pasture. Just west of town. Hubert R. Conway, Farmers phone 209. 18-20

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, brown wicker perambulator, good condition. 115 S. Mulberry St. Phone 4184. 14-18

FILMS DEVELOPED with loving care. J. E. Carpenter, maker of outdoor pictures. Phone 466. 11-11

FOR SALE—Corner lot on paved street, 4 blocks from square, 7 room house. Apply in person. Roy Collins. 12tf.

STANDARD PLUMBING CO., permanently of Maryville. Honest plumbing at honest prices. Some worse; none better.

FOR SALE—Maryville house, located on East Third street, one block from square; also a 105½ foot lot on Second street. Inquire John Kelly. 14-20

FOR SALE—5 beds, 3 carpets, 3 dressers, 2 dining tables, sideboard, bookcase, wardrobe, kitchen cabinet and safe, steel range, piano, child's bed, baby buggy, stand tables, study table, chairs, etc. Must sell this week. E. S. Cook, 222 E. Sixth. 13-23

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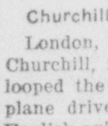
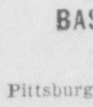


EGGS FOR SALE—S. C. Brown Leghorns. For prices call Mrs. C. H. Rice, Farmers phone 40-20; Barnard 28-05.



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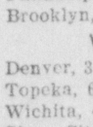

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